

## Message Text

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ACTION SY-05

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 FBO-02

SCCT-01 /028 W

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R 021510Z AUG 76

FM AMEMBASSY VIENNA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9247

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FOR A/SY/FO FROM RSO

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC, PINS, AU

SUBJECT: INCIDENT AT CONSULAR SECTION

REF: VIENNA 6124

1. ON SATURDAY, JULY 31, THE WALL OUTSIDE THE CONSULAR SECTION, LOCATED AT 17 REICHSRATSSTRASSE, WAS PAINTED WITH RED SPRAY PAINT BY UNKNOWN PERSONS.

2. NO DAMAGE OTHER THAN THE DEFACEMENT OF A WALL OUTSIDE THE CONSULAR SECTION. PERSONS DID NOT ENTER THE OFFICES OF THE CONSULAR OR INS SECTIONS. TEXT OF THE MESSAGE, WHICH WAS IN GERMAN, IS TRANSLATED AS FOLLOWS: "200 YEARS OF THE USA - 200 YEARS OF EXPLOITATION AND SUPPRESSION." THE MESSAGE WAS SIGNED WITH THE INITIALS "R.Z." AND WAS ALSO SIGNED WITH A FIVE-POINTED STAR AND A PICTURE OF A MACHINE GUN, ALL SPRAYED WITH THE RED PAINT.

3. POLICE WERE NOTIFIED; NO OTHER SIGNIFICANT DATA. APPEARS TO BE SAME INDIVIDUAL OR INDIVIDUALS WHO DEFACED VIENNA PRESS BUILDING AS PER REFTEL. GUESS HERE IS THAT "R.Z." IS ABBREVIATION FOR "ROTE ZELLE" (RED CELL).

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4. POLICE TO NOTIFY US REGARDING INVESTIGATION.MEEHAN

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## Message Attributes

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